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2. At Nam-myong, Kumsan (127-30, 36-06), Communist guerrillas were manufacturing 800 rounds of ammunition a day to replenish the great losses of ammunition suffered during battles with the ROK police. Each man was down to about 50 rounds. The lead and powder were secured from Taejon, while the shells were made from used ROK police shells. The guerrillas also made grenades in this area from powder and iron wrapped in tin with a percussion cap inserted.
3. In May Communist guerrillas in the Hoengsong (127-59, 37-30) area were digging caves so that the entrances would be covered by bushes. When the guerrillas go out openly, they dress in mourning clothes and go in twos, telling check points that they are brothers.
4. Communist guerrillas use the following signals for recognition: during the day, a red string on the cloth purse hung at the waist or a red cloth on the left side of the waist band if no purse is worn; at night, a blue purse string or blue cloth. Small mirrors are used for signalling and recognition. Officers above platoon commander possess former Japanese five and ten sen coins, while ranks under platoon commander use copper or iron coins for recognition. At night two clubs made from the apricot tree are struck together for signals, one meaning danger, two, dismissal, and three, assemble.

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